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A Monthly Newsletter by and for  
the Seniors of Pahrump and the  
Pahrump Valley area.

**MAY 2022**

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# SHADES OF GRAY

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## MAY 5<sup>TH</sup> IS CINCO DE MAYO

Cinco de Mayo. Cinco de Mayo in Latin America, Spanish for "Fifth of May" is an annual celebration held on May 5. The date is observed and celebrated by Mexicans, Mexican Americans and non-Mexicans to commemorate the Mexican Army's victory over the French Empire at the Battle of Puebla, on May 5, 1862, under the leadership of General Ignacio Zaragoza.



PAHRUMP SENIOR CENTER



**SUNDAY, MAY 8<sup>TH</sup> IS MOTHER'S DAY** This holiday honoring mothers and motherhood was first celebrated in 1907, when Anna Jarvis held the first Mother's Day service of worship at Andrews Methodist Episcopal Church in Grafton, West Virginia. Andrew's Methodist Church now holds the International Mother's Day Shrine. Mother's Day is celebrated in over 40 countries.



## MAY HOLIDAYS & EVENTS — PAHRUMP

MAY 1<sup>ST</sup> — 7<sup>TH</sup> **NATIONAL TEACHER WEEK**  
**NATIONAL NURSES WEEK**

THURSDAY - MAY 5<sup>TH</sup> **NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER**  
**CINCO DE MAYO**

SUNDAY — MAY 8<sup>TH</sup> **MOTHER'S DAY**

SUNDAY — MAY 15<sup>TH</sup> **NATIONAL PEACE OFFICERS MEMORIAL DAY**

SATURDAY — MAY 21<sup>ST</sup> **ARMED FORCES DAY**

MONDAY — MAY 30<sup>TH</sup> **MEMORIAL DAY ~ SENIOR CENTER CLOSED**

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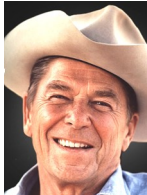
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*If we ever forget that we are  
One Nation Under God, then  
we will be a nation gone under.*



**YOUR TAX-DEDUCTIBLE DONATIONS ARE NEEDED TO KEEP OUR SENIOR CENTER OPEN AND OPERATIONAL! PLEASE MAKE A DONATION TODAY!**

All donations are appreciated no matter what is donated because we know it comes from the heart. To those who support us, THANK YOU! To those who have not contributed, we offer you the opportunity. Your support is needed at this time to ensure that we can continue to enrich the lives of all the seniors in the Pahrump Valley area, either directly or through making Pahrump a better place to live for our senior population. Thank You!

CUT ALONG LINE

**DONATION FORM** Make Check or Money Order payable to: **Pahrump Senior Center**

I would like to support THE PAHRUMP SENIOR CENTER to help keep the doors open.

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**DONOR'S NAME**

**DONATION AMOUNT**

I have enclosed my donation by  CHECK  MONEY ORDER

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PAHRUMP SENIOR CENTER  
1370 W BASIN AVE  
PAHRUMP NV 89060-4501

**CHECK BOXES THAT APPLY DO NOT SEND CASH IN THE MAIL!**

I DO WANT RECOGNITION

I DO NOT WANT RECOGNITION

SEND ME TAX-DEDUCTIBLE RECEIPT

**Pahrump Senior Center, Inc.** is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation and ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE. Your Donations throughout the year are never too small to make a difference! THANK YOU for your donations.

The Nevada Assistive Technology Resource Center  
Nevada Telecommunication Equipment Distribution  
Program

*in co-sponsorship with*  
**Nevada Hands & Voices**

*present*

**Deaf, Hard of Hearing, and  
Speech Impaired Resource Fair**

**May 28th from 9am to 2pm**

Location:  
Red Rock Casino Resort Spa  
Summerlin ABEF Ballroom  
11011 West Charleston  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89135

Use Charleston Blvd. and Pavilion Center Dr. to park  
in the East Self-Parking Garage or Valet.

**The event is limited to 100 guests, so register TODAY at:**

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/deaf-hard-of-hearing-and-speech-impaired-resource-fair-registration-305097122707>

Communication Access Services (CAS), Relay Nevada, Nevada Hands & Voices, Nevada Telecommunication Equipment Distribution Program, Nevada Care Connection, Nevada Assistive Technology Resource Center, Nevada Deaf and Hard of Hearing Commission



Nevada Center for  
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**Happy  
Birthday  
to all our  
MAY  
Birthday  
Members!**



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# MENU ~ MAY 2022

PLEASE NOTE MENU SUBJECT TO CHANGE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>2</b> ADSD #123 CHICKEN TENDERS TATOR TOTS CARROT/CELERY STICKS BROCCOLI SALAD CAKE BEAN SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>3</b> SMOTHERED PORK CHOPS BROWN RICE GREEN BEANS ROLL FRUIT SALAD TOMATO BASIL SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>4</b> CHICKEN BACON/RANCH WRAPS W/LETTUCE & TOMATOES PEAS CAKE MILK OR JUICE CREAM OF CAULIFLOWER SOUP	<b>5</b> TURKEY SANDWICH LETTUCE/TOMATOES W/W BREAD BABY CARROTS YOGURT W/FRUIT CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP	<b>6</b> BATTERED COD RICE PEA SALAD FRUIT CREAM OF MUSHRM SOUP MILK OR JUICE
<b>9</b> <b>MOTHERS DAY LUNCH</b> CHICKEN CORDON BLEU PARSLEY POTATOES CARROTS STRAWBERRY SHORT CAKE FRENCH ONION SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>10</b> PORK ROAST GRAVY MASHED RED POTATOES CORN PINEAPPLE CAKE PEA SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>11</b> ADSD #14 HAMBURGERS W/BUN BAKED BEANS MILK OR JUICE TOMATOES/LETTUCE/ONION CELERY/CARROT STICKS FROZEN YOGURT TOMATO BASIL SOUP	<b>12</b> HERB BAKED CHICKEN STUFFING PEAS/ONIONS SALAD FRUIT CREAM OF BROCCOLI SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>13</b> ADSD #3 MEAT LOAF MASHED POTATOES SPINACH W/W BREAD FRUIT LENTIL SOUP MILK OR JUICE
<b>16</b> CARNE ASADA TACOS SPANISH RICE REFRIED BEANS CINNAMON TWISTS ALBONDIGAS SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>17</b> ADSD #1 BBQ CHICKEN POTATO SALAD CORN FRESH FRUIT VEGGIE SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>18</b> ADSD #39 SPAGHETTI MEAT SAUCE GARLIC BREAD SQUASH PUDDING MILK OR JUICE MINNESTRONE SOUP	<b>19</b> HAM STEAK AU GRATIN POTATOES CAULIFLOWER PUDDING BEEF BARLEY SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>20</b> ADSD #108 BEEF STROGANOFF SQUASH SALAD FRUIT CAKE BEAN SOUP MILK OR JUICE
<b>23</b> ORANGE CHICKEN RICE SPRING SALAD PINEAPPLE MILK OR JUICE EGG FLOWER SOUP	<b>24</b> ADSD #104 T ROAST BEEF MASHED POTATOES GRAVY MIXED VEGGIES SALAD MANDARIN ORANGES LENTIL SOUP	<b>25</b> ITALIAN SAUSAGE SANDWICH SAUTEERED PEPPERS/ONIONS FRENCH FRIES CARROTS ICE CREAM CORN CHOWDER MILK OR JUICE	<b>26</b> ADSD #29 SHEPARDS PIE SPINACH YOGURT BEAN SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<b>27</b> MEMORIAL DAY BBQ HAMBURGERS/HOTDOGS POTATO SALAD PASTA SALAD BAKED BEANS CUPCAKES MILK OR JUICE
<b>30</b> <b>CLOSED</b> <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>	<b>31</b> COUNTRY FRIED STEAK MASHED POTATOES CORN FRUIT CHICKEN & RICE SOUP MILK OR JUICE	<p>An Info-Message from  <b>Jesus the Messiah Church.</b>                      Pahrump, Nevada</p> <p><b>Mother's Day is Sunday, May 8<sup>th</sup> this year.</b>                      Proverbs 22:6 Train a child in the way he should go,                      and when he is older he will not turn from it.                      Proverbs 31:28 Her children rise up and call her blessed;                      Her husband also, and he praises her.</p>		

LUNCH IS SERVED MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 11:30 A.M. TO 12:30 P.M. 60+YEARS LUNCH \$4.00 DONATION APPRECIATED

SALAD BAR \$3.00 FEE COFFEE & ICED TEA \$1.00 FEE

# ACTIVITIES ~ MAY 2022

## PAHRUMP SENIOR CENTER

MONDAY - FRIDAY 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>2</b> BEADING CLASS 12:30 POKER 12:30	<b>3</b> BINGOSIZE 12:30	<b>4</b> HAIRCUTS 1:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>5</b> RIPPTS (KNITTING CLUB) 10:30 BINGOSIZE 12:30 HAIRCUTS 1:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>6</b> TOPS MEETING 8:00 AM
<b>9</b> BEADING CLASS 12:30 POKER 12:30	<b>10</b> BINGOSIZE 12:30	<b>11</b> Sara Martin Mobile Eye DR 9:30 AM HAIRCUTS 1:00 - 3:00 PM BLIND SUPPORT - PAHRUMP CHAPTER 10 11:30 AM	<b>12</b> RIPPTS (KNITTING CLUB) 10:30 BINGOSIZE 12:30 HAIRCUTS 1:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>13</b> TOPS MEETING 8:00 AM
<b>16</b> ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES SEMINAR 10:00 AM BEADING CLASS 12:30 POKER 12:30	<b>17</b> BINGOSIZE 12:30	<b>18</b> BLIND SUPPORT 12:30 HAIRCUTS 1:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>19</b> RIPPTS (KNITTING CLUB) 10:30 BINGOSIZE 12:30 HAIRCUTS 1:00 - 3:00 PM	<b>20</b> TOPS MEETING 8:00 AM JOE PARRA CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF MEET-N-GREET 10:30 AM
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<b>30</b> <b>CLOSED</b> <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b>	<b>31</b> BINGOSIZE 12:30 BUNCO 12:30	<b>NOTICE: EARLY VOTING BEGINS THE 28<sup>th</sup> OF MAY.</b> <b>MOTHER'S DAY IS SUNDAY MAY 8<sup>TH</sup>,</b>		



## Hard of Hearing or Deaf? Speech Impaired? Can't Hear on the Phone? Do You Have Low Vision? **CALL NEVADA ASSISTIVE TECHNOLOGY RESOURCE CENTER**

Nevada Assistive Technology Resource Center Telecommunications Program (NATRCTP) provides telephones and communication type equipment to the Deaf, Hard of Hearing as well as the Speech Impaired. We can also offer Electrolarynx devices to individuals with speech impairments to be able to speak and communicate over the telephone.

We distribute many different models of telephones with amplification as well as VP Voice Phones, and Captioned Telephones by Captel and Caption Call so individuals can read what is said on the telephone when speaking.

The Nevada Assistive Technology Resource Center (NATRC) is a project of the Nevada Center for Excellence in Disabilities (NCED). NATRC's goal is to increase awareness and knowledge of the benefits of assistive technology related services among individuals with disabilities and their families, older individuals and their families, and the general population.

#### **WE SUPPORT:**

- device demonstrations—compare and contrast options for an informed choice
- device loans—try it out to inform decision making
- training—expand your knowledge about current AT
- public awareness—outreach and community engagement
- technical assistance—ongoing support to agencies and providers
- transition activities AT supports for decisions regarding independent living across the lifespan. It can include areas such as housing, employment, education, personal care, safety remaining in your home, and discharge planning from acute care settings.

During COVID-19 crisis, services have been modified to align with federal and state guidelines regarding safety and social distancing.

#### **RENO NEVADA MAIN OFFICE**

**Nevada Assistive Technology Resource Center**  
Tel: (775) 682-9056  
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Reno, NV 89557-0001

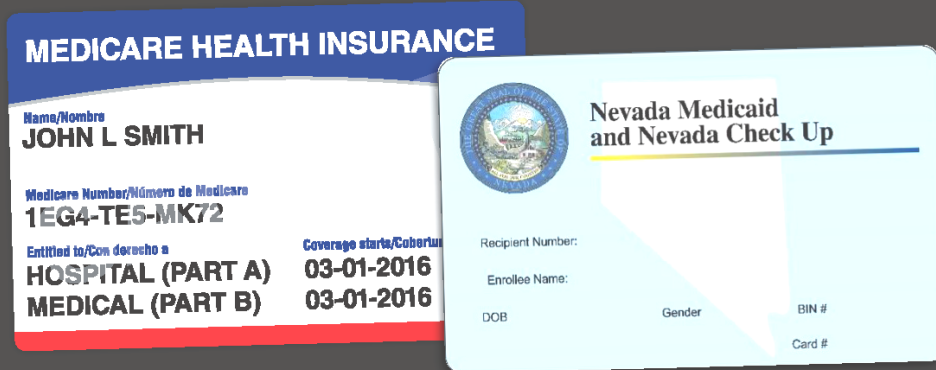
#### **SOUTHERN NEVADA—LAS VEGAS OFFICE**

**Nevada Assistive Technology Resource Center**  
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Las Vegas, NV 89103-0135

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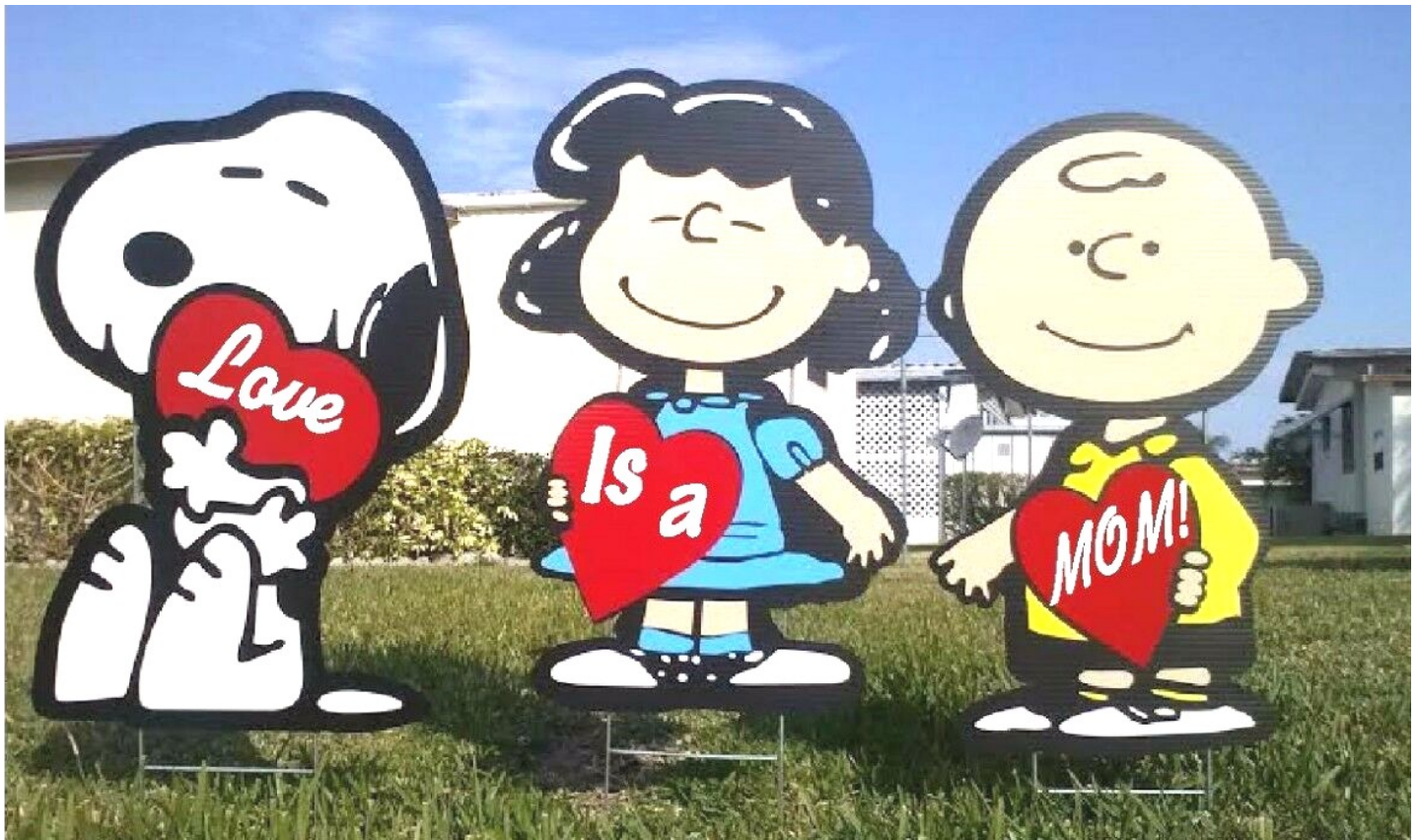


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On our HOME page, scroll down to the sign-up section, enter your e-mail address and click the **SUBMIT** button. Yes, it really is that simple to sign-up! You will receive an email from us to verify your e-mail address usually within 15 minutes. (If you don't, check your spam/junk folder.) Click CONFIRM your e-mail address. That's all you need to do.

If you want to receive a printed hardcopy of our monthly newsletter, stop by the reception desk and say you want to be on our mailing list. Complete the form and hand it back to the receptionist. **Please be sure to print your information legibly.**

**HAPPY READING!**



**HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY ~ Sunday, May 8<sup>th</sup> 2022**



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